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Michael Provstgaard 808 West 5950 South Palmyra, Utah 84660

Subject: Schedule for Additional Reclamation Surety, Michael S. Provstgaard, Lost Sheep

Mine, S/023/029, Juab County, Utah

Dear: Mr. Provstgaard,

I extend condolences on the passing of your wife. It was a pleasure to meet both of you, and I was shocked to hear that she had been hospitalized and later that she died.

You requested additional time to post the additional reclamation surety for the Lost Sheep mine. The Division grants you an extension until March 7, 2011, to either provide additional bond or a schedule when the bond can be posted.

In addition, the Division approves your two recent amendments received October 6, and November 4, 2010. A copy of the approved Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (NOI) is enclosed with this letter. Based on this NOI, the required reclamation surety is \$11,400.00.

Please feel free to contact me 801-538-5261 or Wayne Western 801-538-5263 if you have any additional questions or need assistance. Questions about submitting the additional surety should be directed to Penny Berry at 801-538-5291. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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